

App. No. 09/691325
Advisory Action Dated January 31, 2005
Amd. Dated March 9, 2005

REMARKS

Applicant appreciates the indication that the newly proposed or amended claims 1-5, 7 and 13 would be allowable if submitted in a separate, timely filed amendment canceling the non-allowable claims.

Reconsideration is respectfully requested in view of the above amendments and following remarks. Claims 14-19, 22, 24-29 and 32 have been canceled without prejudice or disclaimer. No new matter has been added. Claim 1-5, 7 and 13 are pending.

In view of the above, favorable reconsideration in the form of a notice of allowance is requested. Any questions or concerns regarding this communication can be directed to the undersigned attorney, John J. Gresens, Reg. No. 33,112, at (612)371.5265.

Respectfully submitted,

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